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ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

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Assignee's Sale of Ohio County Real Estate.

By virtue of a deed of assignment made by Thomas W. Kimmins and Sophia Kimmins, his wife, to me, as assignee, bearing date on the third day of February, 1898, and now of record in the clerk's office of the county court of Ohio county, West Virginia, in Deed of Trust Book No. 51, page 43, I will on

THURSDAY, THE 18th DAY OF AUGUST, 1898,

sell at public auction on the premises, two miles southeast of Valley Grove, in Triadelphia district, Ohio county, West Virginia, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit: All of two certain tracts of land situated on the waters of Middle Wheeling Creek, in said district of Triadelphia, and adjoining lands of James H. Chambers, David Leed and others, and bounded and described as follows: By a deed made in March, 1888, beginning for its most easterly point at a stone and thence with the line of lands belonging to the heirs of James Todd, thence south 42° west 82.2 poles to a stone; thence south 25° west 82.2 poles to a stone; thence north 45° west 11.5 poles to a white oak, corner in line of lands of David Leed, thence north 62° west 24 poles to a stake; thence south 45° east 12.1 poles to a stone; thence south 45° east 13.1 poles to a stone; thence south 45° east 13.1 poles to the place of beginning, and containing seventy-nine (79) acres, three (3) rods and three (3) poles, more or less, this being the same tract of land which Joseph F. Kimmins conveyed to Thomas W. Kimmins, the undivided one-fifth interest in, by deed dated July 23, 1860, and recorded in the clerk's office of the county court of Ohio county, West Virginia, in Deed Book 28, page 129, and the same tract that John Kimmins and wife conveyed, the undivided four-fifths part, to the said Thomas W. Kimmins by deed bearing date on the eighth day of August, 1887, and recorded in Deed Book No. 86, at page 11, of the land records of Ohio county, West Virginia.

Second tract adjoining the above described property, and is bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone, corner to the above described land, known as the home farm of John Kimmins, deceased, and at the south side thereof, and running thence north 44° east 13 poles with said Kimmins' line to a stone; thence south 45° east 77.6 poles to a stone; thence north 89° west 45.5 poles to a stone; thence south 45° east 11.2 poles to a stone; thence north 45° west 47.7 poles to a stone; thence with the line of the John Kimmins farm north 62° east 5 poles to the place of beginning, and containing twenty (20) acres and five (5) poles, more or less. This being the same land that was conveyed to the said Thomas W. Kimmins by James Todd and wife, by deed bearing date on the fifth day of June, 1886, and now of record in the clerk's office of the county court of Ohio county, West Virginia, in Deed Book No. 78, page 42.

Said land will be sold as a whole, or in separate parcels, as may be deemed best. Title is believed to be perfect, and all liens will be released.

Also, at the same time and place, will be offered for sale four work horses, two bays and two grays, the head of milk cows, one P. K. Driedrich half circle hay press, two farm wagons, one Adriansen plowing machine, one Oliver chaffed plow, four sets of work harness, and about forty tons of hay, two hundred bushels of wheat, two hundred bushels of oats, and ten acres of corn. SALE POSITIVE.

TERMS OF SALE.

Personal property, all sums of ten dollars or less, cash on day of sale. All sums over ten dollars a credit of six months will be given, the purchaser giving his note with approved security.

Terms of Sale on Real Estate—One-third of the purchase money, and as much more as the purchaser may elect to pay, in cash on the day of sale, the balance in two equal payments at one and two years, with interest from day of sale, the interest on deferred installment payable annually. The title to be retained until the property is paid for.

W. M. DUNLAP, Assignee.

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BIG SUMMER RISE

Will Materialize at This Port Today—Nineteen Feet

IS STAGE THAT IS PREDICTED

BY LOCAL RIVERMEN. HIGHER WATER THAN HAS BEEN EXPERIENCED IN AUGUST FOR MANY YEARS—THE JOHN A. WOOD FIGURES IN A BAD WRECK BELOW PITTSBURGH—CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION FOR BOILER INSPECTOR IN WHEELING DISTRICT.

This morning the largest August rise that has been experienced on the upper Ohio river in many years will materialize to the extent of about nineteen feet. The rise is a secondary one, following on the heels of the recent rise on which large shipments of Pittsburgh coal were sent south. The rivermen are of the opinion that the river will now continue at a fair boating stage for several weeks, and they are feeling correspondingly happy, for the larger packet owners were feeling decidedly unhappy over prospects for a good summer's business just before the late rise came.

Additional coal shipments have been made on the secondary rise. Among the departing boats was the John A. Wood, which became involved in an accident below Pittsburgh, thus described in last evening's Pittsburgh Press:

A coal boat stage was reached in the rivers yesterday afternoon and several boats with heavy tows left for the southern market. The John A. Wood was the first boat to get out on the water. She had ten coal boats and one flat. Everything went along smooth with the boat until she got near the bar at Merriam, when the tow became unmanageable in the swift current and struck the bar. The current carried the boat and tow around. Four of the boats broke loose and started down the river at a terrific rate. One of the boats struck the bar at Nigger Head, another is lying at the head of Deadman's island, and a third is lying at the bottom of the river close to the edge of the channel and is rapidly breaking up with the current. It was thought at first that the one sunk would have to be dynamited, and preparations were made to do so this morning, but the current is so swift and the boat so badly broken up that this will not be necessary, as there will be nothing left of it in a few hours.

Captain J. A. Wood, owner of the boat and tow, went to the scene of the wreck and telephoned that he thought he could save four of the boats. The Rescue is lying along the shore waiting for the rise to wash them off. Other boats are working with the remainder of the tow and it is expected that the boat will get away this afternoon, as the river is rapidly rising and will be a great help to the work. The loss will reach about \$1,000. Pilots are warned to be on the lookout for the wrecks, as they are all lying in dangerous places, and Captain Wood would like no wreck to occur at the same place through the fault of his boats.

THE INSPECTOR VACANCY.

The United States civil service commission announces that on September 8 and 9, 1898, examination may be taken at any city in the United States where the commission has a board of examiners for the grade of inspector of boilers in the steamboat-inspection service, treasury department.

There is a vacancy in this grade in the Wheeling, W. Va., district, at a salary of \$1,200 per annum.

Eligibles from this examination can be appointed only to vacancies occurring in the steamboat inspection districts in which they are legal residents. The district of Wheeling, W. Va., comprises the First and Second congressional districts of West Virginia and the Fifteenth and Sixteenth congressional districts of Ohio; eligibles who are residents of other districts will be registered for appointment to any vacancy which may occur in their own districts.

The examination will consist of letter-writing, arithmetic (this subject will consist of problems in common and decimal fractions, measurement and square root), boilers and machinery (this subject will consist of practical questions relating to boilers, engines and machinery of steam vessels and strength of boiler materials), and experience.

Two (2) days of eight (8) hours each will be allowed for the examination.

Applicants must have had at least five (5) years actual practical experience as chief engineer of ocean or inland steamers of over 100 gross tons, as first assistant engineer of ocean steamers of 1500 gross tons or over; a portion of which experience must have been within the five years next preceding the date of application. The experience required must have been under United States license, and that the applicant has been so licensed must be of record in the treasury department. However, if an applicant has had, since the termination of the required term of service on board of steamers, the time of making application for examination, continuous service in kindred employments to those of officers of steam vessels, fitting him for the position of inspector, the fact that he has not served as the officer of steam vessels since the termination of such service will not disqualify him.

Applicants must be not under 25 nor over 55 years of age, and must be physically sound. They must also be able to enter a boat through a manhole nine by fifteen (9x15) inches.

Persons desiring to compete should at once apply to the United States civil service commission, Washington, D. C., for application blanks, Forms 201 and

261, which should be properly executed and promptly forwarded to the commission.

THE RIVER.

YESTERDAY'S DEPARTURES. Pittsburgh...H. K. BEDFORD, 4 p. m. Cincinnati...QUEEN CITY, 8 a. m. Parkersburg...ARGAND, 11 a. m. Matamoras...ELOISE, 11 a. m. Sistersville...RUTH, 3:30 p. m. Clarington...LEROY, 3:30 p. m. Steubenville...T. M. BAYNE, 2:30 p. m. Pittsburgh...W. J. CUMMINS, 4 p. m. Pittsburgh...LORENA, 2 a. m.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY. Pittsburgh...KEYSTONE STATE, 6 a. m. Parkersburg...ARGAND, 11 a. m. Sistersville...RUTH, 3:30 p. m. Clarington...LEROY, 3:30 p. m. Steubenville...T. M. BAYNE, 2:30 p. m. Clarington...URANIA, 6:30 a. m.

BOATS LEAVING TO-MORROW. Charleston...H. K. BEDFORD, 6:30 a. m. Cincinnati...W. J. CUMMINS, 8 a. m. Parkersburg...ARGAND, 11 a. m. Matamoras...ELOISE, 11 a. m. Sistersville...RUTH, 3:30 p. m. Clarington...LEROY, 3:30 p. m. Steubenville...T. M. BAYNE, 2:30 p. m.

Along the Landing.

The marks at 6 p. m. showed 12 feet 9 inches and rising; at 10 p. m. the stage here was 14 feet 11 inches and still rising; about nineteen feet will materialize on the rise.

The Keystone State will pass up this morning at 6 o'clock for Pittsburgh, which she will leave here Sunday morning at 8 o'clock for Cincinnati and all way landings and points west and south.

The independent Wheeling and Cincinnati packet Will J. Cummins passed up for Pittsburgh yesterday afternoon. She will be here for Cincinnati tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

River Telegrams.

OIL CITY—River 1 foot and falling. Cloudy and warm.

MORGANTOWN—River 17 feet 2 inches and falling. Clear and warm.

WARREN—River eight-tenths of a foot. Cloudy and warm.

GREENSBORO—River 17 feet and falling. Fair and warm. The Cheat river rise last night suspended navigation. The Woodward is due down Friday and the Adam Jacobs and the Florence Belle up.

BROWNSVILLE—River 23 feet 5 inches and falling.

PITTSBURGH—River 13.2 feet and rising at the dam. Clear and warm.

STUBENVILLE—River 14 feet 6 inches and rising. Clear and warm. Passed up: Tom Lyle. Down: The Urania and Avalon.

PARKERSBURG—Ohio river 11 feet 8 inches and falling. Cloudy and cool. Passed down: The Queen City. Due up: Keystone. The Little Kanawha is falling.

IN THE OIL FIELDS.

In West Virginia, where the most active experimental work of the lower southwest field is being carried on, the most activity is shown in Ritchie and Wood counties. Nearly all the wells that are designated as producers, however, are small, and not a few of them get any farther than the duster list.

In Grant district, Ritchie county, the Paova Oil Company has completed a test well on the J. Adams farm, located on Big Island run, and has a duster. On the South fork of Hughes river, Murphy district, DeGolia & Co., on the Golden farm, have a duster. Near Harrisville, on the north fork of Hughes river, Ira DeWitt's test well on the T. E. Davis farm is making twenty-three barrels a day natural. On the south fork of the same river, Murphy district, the Bill Oil Company has shot its test on the Fred Lemon farm, and has a ten barrel pumper. Eagan & Murphy got a fair producer at their test well on the W. Clark farm, on Elm run. It is making twenty barrels a day from the salt sand.

In the Hendershot pool, in Wood county, some new work is starting to the west of developments. The United States Oil Company has completed and shot its No. 5 on the J. Masters farm, and has a light producer. The Ernst Oil Company has completed a test well on the Ganglow farm, and has a producer good for fifty barrels a day from the Berea formation.

The Sword of Bunker Hill.

We have been taught to revere the reputations of those heroes who fought with such resolute daring on the heights of Bunker Hill, and who by bloody sacrifice achieved the freedom of our country and laid the foundations of our great nation so firmly that no storms of opposing power may prevail against it. The victory so gloriously won, the heritage so gallantly bequeathed, shall be sacredly remembered and zealously guarded. The fathers, however, were no more valorous than the sons have proved to be, for the war with Spain has given to the world such examples of courage as have few parallels and no superiors, proving how secure is the honor of the nation in the keeping of our army and navy. Their valor and exploits are the subjects of illustration in "Our Nation in War," which pictures current events at the front, the battles, sieges, bombardments, charges, assaults, and incidents of individual heroism. Each weekly number contains sixteen or more thrilling views, original, photographic, and reproduction of famous war paintings, accompanied by graphic descriptive text, thus making the series a complete pictographic history of the war with Spain and the most stirring events in the life of our country.

Commencing June 12, the Monongahela River Railroad Company will sell round trip summer excursion tickets to Webster Springs, W. Va., and return. The location of Webster Springs is sixteen miles from Cowen, W. Va.

Tickets are printed to read via Cowen and Hack Line between Cowen and Webster Springs, though if passengers holding Webster Springs tickets desire to visit Camden-on-Gauley these tickets will be honored for passage from Cowen to Camden-on-Gauley and return without extra charge.

The new hotel at Webster Springs is now open and affords ample, first class accommodation for a large attendance. Tickets on sale June 12 to September 30, inclusive, and good return until October 31, 1898. For rates apply to Hugh G. Bowles, General Superintendent, Monongahela, W. Va.

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It will pay you to see these bargains. Same general reductions in all departments.

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"HIBERNIAN DAY"

At Mozart Park yesterday was a banner one in Point of Attendance and Enjoyment—Largest Picnic of the Season, Parke Division Scores a Success.

The most successful picnic of the year at Mozart park, was given at this hill-top resort yesterday by Parke division A. O. H. A conservative estimate places the number of people who went up the incline at 1,000, though this number was very likely less than the real thing. Fortunately, the weather was ideal, compared with what the weather man has been dealing out lately, and the weather was a great factor in producing the large attendance.

The affair consisted of a picnic and outing, and was also attended by the members of Mullen and Benwood divisions, and ladies' auxiliaries of these divisions. Each year Parke and Mullen divisions alternate in giving the outing, and the members of the former left no stone unturned to score the success they achieved yesterday. Dancing in the pavilion was the main diversion, and it continued from 4 o'clock until midnight, to music furnished by Mayer's orchestra. Then there were bowling contests, and Leslie Pearce's midgits sparred a friendly boxing bout in the afternoon to the delight of a large number of spectators, the fair sex especially taking a deep interest in the exposition of the manly art.

The street cars were not through hauling the crowds away from the park until after 1 o'clock this morning. "Hibernian Day" was a banner one in the park's annals, and Parke division has reason to be proud of so successful and enjoyable an affair as yesterday's was.

HE SMASHED FURNITURE.

Andrew White fell out with his girl last night. She objected to him going over to the races yesterday, and her objections were couched in uncharitable diction when he visited her, in an East End house last night. The debate led to a warm mix-up, during which Anderson pulverized considerably furniture. Parke Driver Crumbacker put him in du-rance vile.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement, that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was.—Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at Logan Drug Co.'s store. Large bottles 50 cents and \$1.00.

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Distressing Kidney and Bladder disease relieved in six hours by "New Great South American Kidney Cure." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female.

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THE LITTLE THINGS

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THEY ALL SPEAK
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The Klondike is still in the lead. All Wheeling is going wild over the big sale which is now going on at the Klondike, 1135 Market street. It is a clean-up sale of all our Men's, Women's and Children's Fine Tan Shoes. Here is the line that we offer at these low prices:

Bargains.

200 pairs of Ladies' Fine Tan Shoes, in vesting and leather tops, worth \$2.50 and \$3.00, go for \$1.50 and \$1.75. 250 pairs of Ladies' Fine Tan Shoes, in lace and button, worth \$2.00 and \$2.50, go for \$1.25 and \$1.50.

150 pairs of Ladies' Fine Bicycle Shoes, in tan and black, worth \$2.50 and \$3.00, go for \$1.75 and \$2.00.

Bargains.

300 pairs of Ladies' Fine Oxfords, in tan and black, worth \$2.00 go for \$1.25. 400 pairs of Ladies' Fine Oxfords, in tan and black, worth \$1.50, go for \$1.00.

350 pairs of Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals, in tan and black, worth \$1.25, go for 75c.

Bargains.

500 pairs of Men's Tan Vic Kid Shoes, in silk vesting and leather tops, in all the latest toes and shapes, lace and congress, worth \$3.00 and \$3.50, go for \$2.00 and \$2.25.

450 pairs of Men's Cloth Top Shoes, in neat styles, worth \$2.25, go for \$1.50. 200 pairs of Men's Chrome Kid Shoes, in neat styles, worth \$2.00 and \$2.25, go for \$1.50.

Bargains.

700 pairs of Men's Oxford Ties, in tan and black, all toes and widths, worth \$2.00 and \$2.25, go for \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Bargains.

250 pairs of Misses' Tan Shoes, in all the finest vesting tops, worth \$1.75 and \$2.00, go for \$1.25.

300 pairs of Misses' Tan Shoes, worth \$1.50 and \$1.75, go for \$1.00.

250 pairs of Children's Tan Shoes, in lace and button, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25, go for 75c.

150 pairs of Children's Tan Shoes, in neat styles, worth 75c and \$1.00, go for 50c.

Bargains.

400 pairs of Boys' Tan Vic Kid Bats, in all the latest toes, worth \$1.75 and \$2.00, go for \$1.25.

250 pairs of Little Gents' Tan Shoes, heel and spring heel, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50, go for \$1.00.

KLONDIKE Shoe Store,

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